REQUEST	Application Number	09/676,487 MAY 2 1 2
FOR	Confirmation Number	4933 GROUP 1
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)	Filing Date	October 02, 2000
TRANSMITTAL	First Named Inventor	Hirotaka MATSUMOTO
MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner for Patents	Group Art Unit	1752
P.O. Box 1450	Examiner Name	Yvette C. Thornton
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,	Matter Number	Q61016
provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995	AND RECORD Title THE SAME	MERIZABLE COMPOSITION ING MATERIAL USING
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37	C.F.R. § 1.114 of the abov	e-identified application.
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